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REPLY TO ATTN OF: RDGNA

SUBJECT: Personal Memorandum

TO: RDG (General Schriever)

The following three items I would like to bring to your attention:

1. You have received a brief letter from General Walsh confirming the requirement for 5 ft ground resolution for photographic sensors in satellite systems. We are passing this information on to BMD and would be happy to show you the letter if you desire.

2. As a follow-up on the special systems which Mr. Bissell discussed with you a couple of weeks ago and for which I made the trip to the west coast last week, a meeting to review technical features of the systems prior to a final decision is being held at Dr. Charyk's office at 1400 on 21 August. In attendance will be Mr. Bissell, Dr. Charyk, General Demler, and Mr. Kieffer and myself. You have been also invited; however, I informed Mr. Bissell of your extremely tight schedule and advised him that you would undoubtedly be satisfied with my representation. I will advise you of the results.

3. Regarding the meeting with Dick Leghorn which you requested. I have discussed this with Gene Kieffer. He has been extremely tied up with the activities related to par. 2 above and was not able to make arrangements last week. However, we are scheduled to get together with Dick Leghorn Friday, 21 August.

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